# IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT FOR THE DISTRICT OF PUERTO RICO

In re:	
THE FINANCIAL OVERSIGHT AND MANAGEMENT BOARD FOR PUERTO RICO	PROMESA Title III
as representative of	) Case No. 17-bk-03283 (LTS) ) ) ) )
THE COMMONWEALTH OF PUERTO RICO, et al.	) )
Debtor.	) ) )
In re:	, ) X
THE FINANCIAL OVERSIGHT AND MANAGEMENT BOARD FOR PUERTO RICO	) ) PROMESA ) Title III
as representative of	) Case No. 17-cv-01685 (LTS) Case No. 17-bk-03566 (LTS)
THE EMPLOYEES RETIREMENT SYSTEM OF THE GOVERNMENT OF THE COMMONWEALTH OF PUERTO RICO,	Re: ECF No. 367
Debtor.	) ) X

JOINT INFORMATIVE MOTION REGARDING CONSENSUAL EXTENSION OF DEADLINES FOR DEBTOR AND MOVANTS TO SERVE RESPONSES AND OBJECTIONS TO REQUESTS FOR ADMISSION AND INTERROGATORIES To the Honorable United States District Judge Laura Taylor Swain:

- 1. The Employees Retirement System of the Government of the Commonwealth of Puerto Rico ("ERS," "System," or the "Debtor"), by and through the Puerto Rico Fiscal Agency and Financial Advisory Authority ("AAFAF"), and the Financial Oversight and Management Board (the "FOMB"), as the Debtor's representative pursuant to Section 315(b) of PROMESA, and Movants¹ (together, the "Parties"), respectfully submit this informative motion notifying the Court of (a) the Parties' consensual extension of the deadlines to file responses or objections to interrogatories and requests for admission, and (b) the Parties discussions concerning extending the schedule entered by the Court to resolve the Lift Stay Motion.<sup>2</sup>
- 2. On February 25, 2019, the Court entered its *Order Granting Urgent Motion to Expedite Consideration of Motion of Certain Secured Creditors of the Employees Retirement System of the Government of the Commonwealth of Puerto Rico for Relief from the Automatic Stay* [Docket No. 371 in Case No. 17-bk-03566] (the "Scheduling Order").
- 3. To facilitate discovery and ensure sufficient time to resolve any discovery disputes following initial efforts to meet and confer, the Parties anticipate proposing a revised schedule for

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> Movants are: Andalusian Global Designated Activity Company, Glendon Opportunities Fund, L.P., Mason Capital Master Fund, L.P., Oaktree-Forrest Multi-Strategy, LLC (Series B), Oaktree Opportunities Fund IX, L.P., Oaktree Opportunities Fund IX (Parallel 2), L.P., Oaktree Value Opportunities Fund, L.P., Ocher Rose, L.L.C., SV Credit, L.P., Puerto Rico AAA Portfolio Bond Fund, Inc., Puerto Rico AAA Portfolio Bond Fund III, Inc., Puerto Rico Fixed Income Fund, Inc., Puerto Rico Fixed Income Fund II, Inc., Puerto Rico Fixed Income Fund IV, Inc., Puerto Rico Fixed Income Fund V, Inc., Puerto Rico GNMA & U.S. Government Target Maturity Fund, Inc., Puerto Rico Investors Bond Fund I, Puerto Rico Investors Tax-Free Fund, Inc., Puerto Rico Investors Tax-Free Fund IV, Inc., Puerto Rico Investors Tax-Free Fund V, Inc., Puerto Rico Investors Tax-Free Fund V, Inc., Puerto Rico Investors Tax-Free Fund, Inc., Tax-Free Puerto Rico Fund, Inc., Tax-Free Puerto

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>2</sup> The Lift Stay Motion" means the motion entitled *Motion of Certain Secured Creditors of the Employees Retirement System of the Government of the Commonwealth of Puerto Rico for Relief from the Automatic Stay*, ERS Title III Case, D.I. 289 (July 3, 2018), along with Movants' urgent motion to expedite consideration of that motion, ERS Title III Case, D.I. 367, and the Court's Order setting a schedule to resolve that motion, D.I. 371.

the Lift Stay Motion. The Parties will submit a joint proposed schedule if possible, or alternative proposals, no later than this coming Tuesday, March 12, 2019.

- 4. In the interim, the Parties have consensually agreed to an extension until March 8, 2019 of the deadline for Parties to serve responses and objections to interrogatories and requests for admission.
- 5. The automatic stay will remain in place through the resolution of the Lift Stay Motion.

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Dated: March 8, 2019

New York, NY

Respectfully submitted,

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## **CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE**

I hereby certify that, on this same date, I electronically filed the foregoing with the Clerk of the Court using the CM/ECF system, which will send notifications of such filing to all CM/ECF participants in this case.

Dated: March 8, 2019 /s/ Luis F. del Valle-Emmanuelli

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